

The History of Times Past Inn

Some things get better with time and Times Past Inn continues to provide great food at an affordable price with superb service in a family atmosphere. Daily breakfast and lunch specials including a buffet and salad bar is our forte and the coffee is always hot.

Over 25 years in the making, Times Past Inn is a family owned and operated restaurant that continues that tradition today that includes home-style breakfast, lunch and dinner. Times Past also provides catering for parties, weddings, anniversaries and special events.

Established in 1983 at 1700 East Empire Street at the old Hen House Restaurant Times Past has been through several iterations. Named by first owners Ron and Jan Thompson the name "Times Past" originated because they didn't want to serve "faddish" foods but rather food from Times Past.

In 1984 Art Donaldson and Tim Keller took over the property until it was sold to a local developer. Today, a Grease Monkey Oil and Lubrication outlet sits on that site.

The current location has housed several restaurants including Topper's Steak House, Steve's Steak House and Laub's Family Restaurant. Laub's was started by Colfax native and basketball coach Loren Laub. After Laub's death his daughter Teri ran it until closing in 1980.

The Towanda Inn opened later that year by Norma Burger and closed in 1986. Another eatery, Strikers opened some time after that and closed in August of 1987.

The original Times Past restaurant closed in May of 1987 in its prior location and re-opened in October of 1987 in Towanda Plaza as the current Times Past Inn. It comfortably seats 100 people. It still remains under the ownership of Art and Judy Donaldson.

Times Past Inn hosts club meetings, family gatherings and special events and the Times Past Patio is open during the warm weather months offering a full menu, cold drinks and/or the libation of your choice. Big Screen TV's and a "neighborhood" feel makes the Times Past Inn bar a great place to watch the big game, have a cold drink after a round of golf, or just gather with friends.

Welcome to Times Past Inn. Enjoy.

Sandwiches (choice of white, wheat, rye, or sour dough)

All sandwiches are served with choice of one: Baked potato, baked sweet potato, French fries, sweet potato fries, American fries, hash browns, baked beans, mashed potatoes, macaroni & cheese, potato chips, tater tots. Additional side dishes add \$1.75

***Salad bar with sandwich add \$1.69** add side of BBQ Sauce or cheese sauce \$.75*

Chicken filet.....\$6.25

Your choice of grilled or deep fried 6 oz. filet

TPI chicken filet.....\$6.95

grilled or deep fried with bacon, hot sauce and side of bleu cheese dressing

Grilled cheese.....\$3.50 **With bacon & tomato....\$4.25

Club sandwich.....\$5.95

Choice of ham or turkey, w/lettuce, mayo, tomato, bacon & cheese

Pork tenderloin.....\$6.25

Breaded - served on a bun

Chicken salad.....\$5.50

Served on croissant, bread or toast

Patty Melt.....\$5.95

1/3 lb. burger served on grilled rye w/ sautéed onions and American cheese

Pork chop.....\$6.25

6 oz. Pre-seasoned Center cut

Fish sandwich.....\$6.25

5 oz. Breaded cod filet with tarter sauce

Reuben.....\$6.50

Corned beef or turkey w/ Swiss cheese & sauerkraut on grilled rye

BLT.....\$4.50

Bacon, Lettuce & Tomato on choice of bread of toast

Horseshoes..... Full.....\$6.95 Pony shoe....\$5.50

Choice of ham, turkey or burger - topped with fries & cheese sauce

Prime rib burger.....\$5.75

Top quality burger with prime rib flavor cooked to your requested temperature

TPI Burgers

1/3 lb. Hamburger or cheeseburger..... \$4.75 Double..... \$6.75

*add bacon.....\$1.00

Texas BBQ Sandwich \$6.95

pulled pork topped with onion rings, bacon and drizzled with BBQ sauce

Open faced turkey or beef \$5.75

With mashed potatoes & smothered in gravy